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For : HUMAN DERIVED MONOCYTE ATTRACTING PURIFIED PROTEIN
PRODUCT USEFUL IN A METHOD OF TREATING INFECTION AND
NEOPLASMS IN A HUMAN BODY, AND THE CLONING OF FULL
LENGTH cDNA THEREOF

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

September 17, 1990

Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure provisions of 37 C.F.R.
1.56, applicants herewith submit a Statement in accordance with 37
C.F.R. 1.97 - 1.99.

R E F E R E N C E S

The Examiner is respectfully requested to give consideration
to the references listed on PTO-1449 attached hereto and to make
these references of record in the file wrapper of the present
application. The references were cited in the PCT International
Search Report for the corresponding PCT patent applications. A
copy of the PCT International Search Report is herewith enclosed.

STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY

The Yoshimura et al and Graves et al references are listed in the European Search Report as Category "X, P" references, which are deemed of particular relevance to the claimed invention, but published later than the priority date of the present application.

The Ramb et al and Valente et al references are listed as Category "X" in the European Search Report, which are deemed to be of particular relevance to the claimed invention.

The relevancy of each of the accompanying references may be readily ascertained upon review thereof and the accompanying PCT Search Report.

With regard to the Furtani et al reference, listed on the accompanying PCT Search Report, this reference is already of record in the above-identified application.

The submission of the present Statement is not an admission that any of the references referred to herein are indeed prior art under 35 U.S.C. 102 or 35 U.S.C. 103. Moreover, the submission of this Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that no better art exists.

Should the Examiner have any questions or comments regarding the present Statement, she is respectfully requested to contact Mr. John W. Bailey, in the Washington Metropolitan Area, at 703/241-1300.

Please charge any fees or credit any overpayment pursuant to
37 C.F.R. 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account Number 02-2448.

Respectfully submitted,

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